

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
TAMPA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

Case No. 8:03-CR-77-T-30TBM

GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT

**DEFENDANT GHASSAN BALLUT'S MOTION TO ADOPT DEFENDANT  
HATIM FARIZ'S MOTION TO QUASH SECTION (b) OF PARAGRAPH 26  
OF THE INDICTMENT FOR FAILURE TO STATE A LEGAL BASIS FOR RELIEF**

The Defendant, GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT, by and through his undersigned counsel, hereby requests this Honorable Court to permit the Defendant to adopt Co-Defendant HATIM FARIZ's Motion to Quash Section (b) of Paragraph 26 of the Indictment for Failure to State a Legal Basis for Relief dated October 3, 2003, the grounds set forth in the Motion and the accompanying Memorandum of Law, and all evidence adduced in support of the Motion, the same as if the same Motion were set out, filed, and produced by the Defendant, GHASSAN ZAYED BALLUT, but only to the extent that the Motion, the Memorandum of Law, or the evidence in support are beneficial and not adverse to the Defendant's interests.

The Defendant makes this request to permit the Defendant the benefit of HATIM FARIZ's aforesaid Motion without burdening the record with unnecessary repetition and in the interests of judicial economy.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant requests this Honorable Court to permit the Defendant to adopt HATIM FARIZ's Motion to Quash Section (b) of Paragraph 26 of the Indictment for

Failure to State a Legal Basis for Relief.  
This motion/petition/stipulation has been duly  
considered and is hereby *granted*  
this 28 day of Oct., 2003.

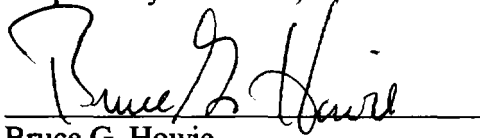
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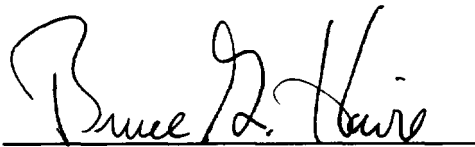
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